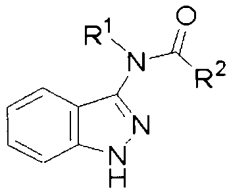
AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1 (Currently Amended): An indazole compound represented by the following formula (I):

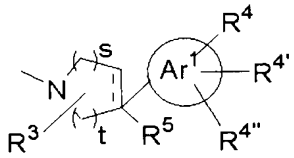


(I)

wherein

R^1 is a hydrogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, an optionally substituted phenyl or an optionally substituted aromatic heterocyclic ring, and

R^2 is any of the following formula (II) to the following formula (VII),



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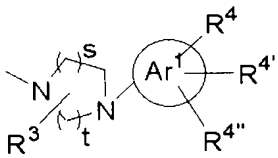

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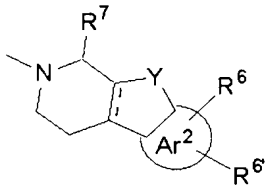

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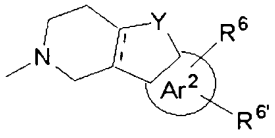

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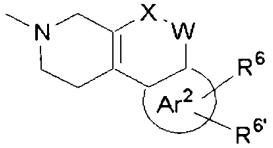

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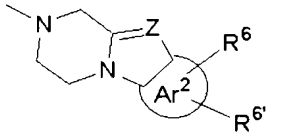

(VII)

wherein

in the formula (II),

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is a single bond or a double bond,

in the formulas (II) and (III),

s is an integer of 1 or 2,

t is an integer of 1 or 2,

R^3 is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, a hydroxyl, an alkoxy, a carboxy or an alkoxycarbonyl,

ring Ar^1 is an aryl or an aromatic heterocyclic ring,

R^4, $R^{4'}$, $R^{4''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, an optionally substituted alkenyl, an optionally substituted alkynyl, a hydroxyl, an alkoxy, a carboxy, an alkoxycarbonyl, an acyl, $-O(C=O)R^{4a}$ (wherein R^{4a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), $-(C=O)NR^{4a'}R^{4a''}$ (wherein $R^{4a'}$ and $R^{4a''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl, or $R^{4a'}$ and $R^{4a''}$ are taken together to form an optionally substituted 5- to 7-membered non-aromatic heterocyclic ring), $-NH(C=O)R^{4a}$ (wherein R^{4a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), $-SO_2NR^{4a'}R^{4a''}$ (wherein $R^{4a'}$ and $R^{4a''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl, or $R^{4a'}$ and $R^{4a''}$ are taken together to form an optionally substituted 5- to 7-membered non-aromatic heterocyclic ring), $-NHSO_2R^{4a}$ (wherein R^{4a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), an amino, an alkylamino, $-SR^{4a}$ (wherein R^{4a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), $-SO_2R^{4a}$ (wherein R^{4a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), a cyano, an optionally substituted phenyl or an optionally substituted heterocyclic ring, or

R^4 and $R^{4'}$ are taken together to form an C_{1-3} alkylenedioxy, and

R^5 is absent, or a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, a hydroxyl, an alkoxy, an alkoxycarbonyl, an acyl, $-(C=O)NR^{5a}R^{5a'}$ (wherein R^{5a} and $R^{5a'}$ are

the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), -$NH(C=O)R^{5a''}$ (wherein $R^{5a''}$ is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), an amino, an alkylamino, -SR^{5a} (wherein R^{5a} is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl) or a cyano,

in the formulas (IV) and (V),

is a single bond or a double bond,

Y is a carbonyl, NR^{10}, an oxygen atom or a sulfur atom,

wherein R^{10} is a hydrogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, an acyl, an alkoxycarbonyl or $-SO_2R^{10a}$ (wherein R^{10a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl or an optionally substituted phenyl),

ring Ar^2 is a phenyl or an aromatic heterocyclic ring,

R^6 and $R^{6'}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, an optionally substituted alkenyl, an optionally substituted alkynyl, a hydroxyl, an alkoxy, a carboxy, an alkoxycarbonyl, an acyl, -$O(C=O)R^{6a}$ (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), -$(C=O)NR^{6a'}R^{6a''}$ (wherein $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl, or $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are taken together to form an optionally substituted 5- to 7-membered non-aromatic heterocyclic ring), -$NH(C=O)R^{6a}$ (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), -$SO_2NR^{6a'}R^{6a''}$ (wherein $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl, or $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are taken together to form an optionally substituted 5- to 7-membered non-aromatic heterocyclic ring), -$NHSO_2R^{6a}$ (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), an amino, an alkylamino, -SR^{6a} (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), a cyano, an optionally substituted phenyl or an optionally substituted heterocyclic ring, or

R^4 and $R^{4'}$ are taken together to form a C_{1-3} alkylenedioxy, and

R^7 is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl,

in the formula (VI),

X and W are any of C(=O) and O, C(=O) and NR^{11}, and NR^{11} and C(=O),

wherein R^{11} is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl,

ring Ar^2 is a phenyl or an aromatic heterocyclic ring, and

R^6 and $R^{6'}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, an optionally substituted alkenyl, an optionally substituted alkynyl, a hydroxyl, an alkoxy, a carboxy, an alkoxycarbonyl, an acyl, -$O(C=O)R^{6a}$ (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), -$(C=O)NR^{6a'}R^{6a''}$ (wherein $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl, or $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are taken together to form an optionally substituted 5- to 7-membered non-aromatic heterocyclic ring), -$NH(C=O)R^{6a}$ (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), -$SO_2NR^{6a'}R^{6a''}$ (wherein $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl, or $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are taken together to form an optionally substituted 5- to 7-membered non-aromatic heterocyclic ring), -$NHSO_2R^{6a}$ (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), an amino, an alkylamino, -SR^{6a} (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), a cyano, an optionally substituted phenyl or an optionally substituted heterocyclic ring, or

R^4 and $R^{4'}$ are taken together to form a C_{1-3} alkylenedioxy, and

in the formula (VII),

Z is a carbon atom or a nitrogen atom,

ring Ar^2 is a phenyl or an aromatic heterocyclic ring, and

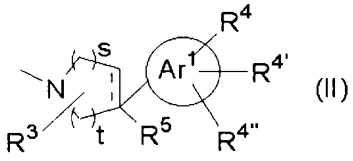
R^6 and $R^{6'}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, an optionally substituted alkenyl, an optionally substituted alkynyl, a hydroxyl, an alkoxy, a carboxy, an alkoxycarbonyl, an acyl, $-O(C=O)R^{6a}$ (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), $-(C=O)NR^{6a'}R^{6a''}$ (wherein $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl, or $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are taken together to form an optionally substituted 5- to 7-membered non-aromatic heterocyclic ring), $-NH(C=O)R^{6a}$ (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), $-SO_2NR^{6a'}R^{6a''}$ (wherein $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl, or $R^{6a'}$ and $R^{6a''}$ are taken together to form an optionally substituted 5- to 7-membered non-aromatic heterocyclic ring), $-NHSO_2R^{6a}$ (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), an amino, an alkylamino, $-SR^{6a}$ (wherein R^{6a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl), a cyano, an optionally substituted phenyl or an optionally substituted heterocyclic ring, or

R^4 an $R^{4'}$ are taken together to form a C_{1-3} alkylenedioxy,

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate thereof~~.

Claim 2 (Currently Amended): The indazole compound of claim 1, wherein, in the above-mentioned formula (I),

R^2 is any of the following formula (II) to the following formula (V),



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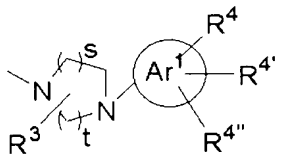

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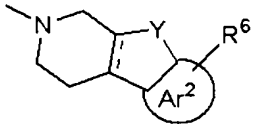

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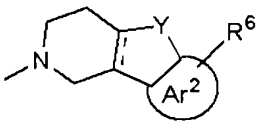

(V)

wherein

in the formula (II),

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is a single bond or a double bond,

in the formulas (II) and (III),

s is an integer of 1 or 2,

t is an integer of 0 to 2,

R^3 is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, a carboxyl, an alkoxycarbonyl, a hydroxy or an alkoxy,

ring Ar^1 is a phenyl or an aromatic heterocyclic ring,

R^4, $R^{4'}$ and $R^{4''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, an alkoxycarbonyl, a hydroxy, an alkoxy, a sulfonamide, a mercapto, a sulfinyl, a sulfonyl, an amino or an alkylamino, and

R^5 is absent, or a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, a hydroxy, an alkoxy, an amino, an alkylamino, a sulfanyl or a cyano, and

in the formulas (IV) and (V),

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is a single bond or a double bond,

Y is a carbonyl, NR^{10}, an oxygen atom or a sulfur atom,

wherein R^{10} is a hydrogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, an acyl, an alkoxycarbonyl or a sulfonyl,

ring Ar^2 is a phenyl or an aromatic heterocyclic ring,

R^6 is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, a cyano, a hydroxy or an alkoxy,

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate~~.

Claim 3 (Currently Amended): The indazole compound of claim 1, wherein,

in the above-mentioned formula (I),

R^1 is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl,

in the above-mentioned formulas (II) and (III),

s is an integer of 1,

t is an integer of 2,

R^3 is a hydrogen atom,

ring Ar^1 is a phenyl or a thiophene,

R^4, $R^{4'}$, $R^{4''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, a hydroxy, an alkoxy, $-SR^{4a}$ (wherein R^{4a} is an optionally substituted C_{1-6} alkyl) or an cyano, and

R^5 is a hydroxy or a cyano,

in the above-mentioned formulas (IV) and (V),

Y is NR^{10},

wherein R^{10} is a hydrogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl,

ring Ar^2 is a phenyl, and

R^6 and $R^{6'}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom, an optionally substituted alkyl, a hydroxy or an alkoxy,

in the above-mentioned formula (VI),

X and W are any of C(=O) and O, C(=O) and NR^{11}, and NR^{11} and C(=O),

wherein R^{11} is a hydrogen atom,

ring Ar^2 is a phenyl, and

R^6 and $R^{6'}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl, and

in the above-mentioned formula (VII),

ring Ar^2 is a phenyl, and

R^6 and $R^{6'}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl,

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate~~.

Claim 4 (Currently Amended): The indazole compound of claim 1 ~~or 3~~, wherein,

in the above-mentioned formula (I),

R^1 is a hydrogen atom,

in the above-mentioned formulas (II) and (III),

s is an integer of 1,

t is an integer of 2,

R^3 is a hydrogen atom,

ring Ar^1 is a phenyl,

R^4, $R^{4'}$, $R^{4''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl, and

R^5 is a hydroxy or a cyano, and

in the above-mentioned formula (IV),

Y is NR^{10},

wherein R^{10} is a hydrogen atom or a methyl,

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate~~.

Claim 5 (Currently Amended): The indazole compound of claim 1, wherein,

in the above-mentioned formula (I),

R^1 is a hydrogen atom, and

in the above-mentioned formula (II),

s is an integer of 1,

t is an integer of 2,

R^3 is a hydrogen atom,

ring Ar^1 is a phenyl,

R^4, $R^{4'}$, $R^{4''}$ are the same or different and each is a hydrogen atom, a halogen atom or an optionally substituted alkyl, and

R^5 is a hydroxyl,

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate~~.

Claim 6 (Currently Amended): The indazole compound of claim 1, which is selected from

(1) 4-[4-chloro-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(3) 4-hydroxy-4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(4) 4-(4-chlorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(6) 4-[3-fluoro-5-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(9) 4-[4-fluoro-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(10) 4-hydroxy-4-[4-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(12) 4-(3,5-difluorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(15) 4-(3-chloro-4-fluorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(20)4-(3-chloro-2-fluorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(21) 4-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(22) 4-(3-chloro-5-fluorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(23) 4-(4-chloro-3-methylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(24) 4-(3-chlorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(27) 4-(1,3-benzodioxol-5-yl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(28) 4-hydroxy-4-(3-methylphenyl)-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(29) 4-(3-cyanophenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(30) 4-hydroxy-4-[3-(methylthio)phenyl]-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(31) 4-(3-ethylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(33) 4-(2,5-dichlorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(34) 4-[3,5-bis(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(35) 4-[2-fluoro-5-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(36) 4-[2-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(40) 4-cyano-4-(2-methoxyphenyl)-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(42) 4-cyano-4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(43) 4-cyano-4-(2-fluorophenyl)-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(44)4-[4-chloro-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4-cyano-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(46) 4-(5-bromo-2-thienyl)-4-cyano-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(47) 4-cyano-4-(3,5-difluorophenyl)-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(48) 4-(4-bromo-2-chlorophenyl)-4-cyano-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(49) 4-phenyl-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(50) 4-(4-fluorophenyl)-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(52) 4-(2-fluorophenyl)-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(53) 4-(3-chloro-4-fluorophenyl)-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(55) 4-(3-fluorophenyl)-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(56) 4-(2,3-difluorophenyl)-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(58) 4-(5-chloro-2-thienyl)-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(59) 4-(3-methyl-2-thienyl)-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(60) 4-(2-thienyl)-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(61) 4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(62) 4-(3,4-dimethoxyphenyl)-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(63) 4-[3-(dimethylamino)phenyl]-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(64) 1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(65) 9-methyl-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(66) 9-(2-methoxyethyl)-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(69) 6-(trifluoromethyl)-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(70) 6-fluoro-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(71) 7-fluoro-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(72) 6-chloro-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(73) 6-methoxy-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(74) 6-hydroxy-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(75) 7-chloro-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(76) 7-(trifluoromethyl)-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(77) 5-fluoro-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(78) 5-chloro-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(79) 8-methyl-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(80) 3,4-dihydro[1]benzothieno[2,3-c]pyridine-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(81) 6-methyl-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(82) 7-chloro-6-fluoro-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(83) 7-chloro-6-(trifluoromethyl)-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(93) 4-[4-chloro-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperazinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(94) 4-[4-fluoro-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperazinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(95) 4-[4-methoxy-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperazinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(97) 4-[3-fluoro-5-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperazinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(98) 4-(3,4-dichlorophenyl)-1-piperazinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(99) 4-[2-chloro-5-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperazinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(100) 4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperazinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(103) 5-oxo-1,5-dihydro-2H-chromeno[3,4-c]pyridine-3-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(104) 5-oxo-1,4,5,6-tetrahydrobenzo[c]-2,7-naphthyridine-3-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(105) 3,4-dihydropyrazino[1,2-a]benzimidazole-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(106) 3,4-dihydropyrazino[1,2-a]indole-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(108) 1-[(dimethylamino)methyl]-1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(109) 6-oxo-1,4,5,6-tetrahydrobenzo[c]-1,7-naphthyridine-3-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(112) 4-[3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]piperidine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(116) 4-[4-chloro-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4-methoxypiperidine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(117) 4-[4-chloro-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-3-methylpiperazine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(123) 4-[4-chloro-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-4-fluoropiperidine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(130) 4-(2-fluoro-5-methylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(131) 4-(3-chloro-2-methylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(132) 4-(3-chloro-4-methylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(134) 4-(3-fluoro-2-methylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(135) 4-(5-fluoro-2-methylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(136) 4-(4-fluoro-3-methylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(138) 4-(3-fluoro-5-methylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(139) 4-(2,5-dimethylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(140) 4-hydroxy-4-[2-methyl-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(141) 4-hydroxy-4-[2-methyl-5-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(142) 4-(3,4-dimethylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

(143) 4-(3,5-dimethylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide, and

(144) 4-(2,3-dimethylphenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide,

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate thereof~~.

Claim 7 (Currently Amended): The indazole compound of claim 1, which is 4-hydroxy-4-(3-methylphenyl)-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate thereof~~:

Claim 8 (Currently Amended): The indazole compound of claim 1, which is 4-(3-chloro-2-fluorophenyl)-4-hydroxy-1-piperidinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate~~.

Claim 9 (Currently Amended): The indazole compound of claim 1, which is 4-(4-fluorophenyl)-1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine-1-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide, or a

pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate~~.

Claim 10 (Withdrawn; Currently Amended): The indazole compound of claim 1, which is 1,3,4,9-tetrahydro-β-carboline-2-carboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate~~.

Claim 11 (Withdrawn; Currently Amended): The indazole compound of claim 1, which is 4-[4-chloro-3-(trifluoromethyl)phenyl]-1-piperazinecarboxylic acid (1H-indazol-3-yl)amide, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate~~.

Claim 12 (Currently Amended): ~~An agent for the prophylaxis and/or treatment of cancer, which comprises~~ A pharmaceutical composition comprising an indazole compound of claim 1, a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof~~, a hydrate thereof, a water adduct thereof or a solvate thereof~~, and \ one or more kinds of formulation additives.

Claim 13 (New): The pharmaceutical composition of claim 12, wherein said composition is in a form suitable for oral administration selected from the group consisting of a tablet, a capsule, a powder, a liquid, and an elixir.

Claim 14 (New): The pharmaceutical composition of claim 12, wherein said indazole compound of claim 1, a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, is contained in an amount

ranging from 5-95 wt% of the active ingredient relative to the total weight of the pharmaceutical composition.

Claim 15 (New): The pharmaceutical composition of claim 12, wherein said indazole compound of claim 1, a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, is contained in an amount ranging from 5-90 wt% of the active ingredient relative to the total weight of the pharmaceutical composition.

Claim 16 (New): The pharmaceutical composition of claim 12, wherein said composition is in a form suitable for parenteral administration.

Claim 17 (New): The pharmaceutical composition of claim 16, wherein said indazole compound of claim 1, a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, is contained in an amount ranging from 0.5-20% by weight of the active ingredient relative to the total weight of the pharmaceutical composition.

Claim 18 (New): The pharmaceutical composition of claim 16, wherein said indazole compound of claim 1, a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, is contained in an amount ranging from 1-10% by weight of the active ingredient relative to the total weight of the pharmaceutical composition.